

Case No. <u>9333/278</u>

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

MITSUNORI SHIRATO

Serial No:

09/918,414

Examiner: Shirley Lu

Filed:

July 30, 2001

Group Art Unit: 2612

For: METHOD AND APPARATUS

FOR PROGRAM TYPE

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PETITION AND FEE FOR EXTENSION OF TIME (37 CFR § 1.136(a))

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Applicant:

Dear Sir:

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This is a petition for an extension of the time to respond to Office Action dated June 28, 2006 for a period of $\underline{3}$ month(s).

		claims small entity status. See 37 C.F.R. §1.27.				
	\boxtimes	is other than small entity				
		Extension Months	Other Than Small Entity	Small Entity		
		One Month Two Months Three Months Four Months Five Months	\$120.00 \$450.00 \$1,020.00 \$1,590.00 \$2,160.00	\$60.00 \$225.00 \$510.00 \$795.00 \$1,080.00		
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\boxtimes	Attached is a check for \$1020 for the Petition fee.					
	Attached is a credit card authorization form for \$ for the Petition fee.					
	Charge Petition fee to Deposit Account No. 23-1925. A duplicate copy of this Petition is attached. Charge any additional fee required or credit for any excess fee paid to Deposit Account No. 23-1925. A duplicate copy of this Petition is attached.					
		Respectfully submitted,				
Dated:		David H. Bluestone Registration No. 44,542 Attorney for Applicant				

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